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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

Group Art Unit: **1625**

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Examiner: **Patricia L. Morris**

APPLICATION NO: **10/812,728**

FILED: **March 30, 2004**

FOR: SUBSTITUTED 5-ARYL-2(HYDROXY-
PHENYL)-2H-BENZOTRIAZOLE UV
ABSORBERS, COMPOSITIONS STABILIZED
THEREWITH AND PROCESS FOR
PREPARATION THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND ELECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 22, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 1 month time period for reply, making this paper due December 22, 2005. This reply is timely filed and no petition for an extension of time is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.